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SEND RESERVATION WITH DRAFT ATTACHED

A STATISTICIAN has computed that in the present war for every man killed a ton of metal has been thrown a mile. Estimating that a million lives are lost, that means a million tons of copper, lead, steel and other metals. At an average price of ten cents a pound the salvage would be worth \$200,000,000. The greater portion of the projectiles would be found in limited areas. An opportunity here for that good old booster bunch of southern Nevada's boom days to capitalize with sixty per cent promotion, balance in the treasury, fully paid and non-assessable.

WAR TALK PURE NONSENSE

DO THE jingoists in the United States realize how inconsistent is their talk of war between the United States and Germany? Pray how could this nation attack Germany at the present time? Between the Netherlands and Denmark there is but a short line of coast and it is protected both by nature and by naval skill. It would be out of the question for our navy to even dream of an assault by way of the Baltic. And how are we prepared to join in the land attack? We have no standing army and no transports. It would require from six months to a year to organize and equip an adequate army and arrange for its transportation to the battle front. By that time there possibly would be no Germany left to fight. On the other hand Germany might declare war a thousand times over against the United States, but it could not invade this country, even if it were at peace with the remainder of the world. If we fight Germany at all, it must be a commercial war, one in which we have everything to gain and nothing to lose.

RENEWAL OF FOREIGN COMPETITION

IN THE event that we continue to roll up a favorable trade balance at the rate of over two billions of dollars per annum, it goes without saying that we are going to experience something akin to prosperous times. But a question that it were well for us to bear in mind is, What will happen when the war comes to an end? That the return of several millions of men to gainful enterprise in their own lands will result in heavy curtailment of foreign purchases of American goods is obvious. Equally obvious is it that it will spell the renewal of the foreign competition in our own markets which American industry has had to plan against in the past. Will home industry which, by the time Europe is ready to lay down its arms will have managed to accommodate itself to the extraordinary requirements imposed upon it by the war, find no difficulty in readjusting itself to the smaller requirements and the keener competition of peace? All the more reason have we to ask this question in view of the fact that we have learned by experience that the present tariff does not protect.

THE REAWAKENING OF COPPER

OF ALL metal ores, those of copper extend to greatest depths. The deepest shafts in the United States are in the Superior region, where copper has been most extensively mined in this country. In the red metal veins there are fewer changes than in gold and silver ledges, wherein are found barren zones, while the enrichment rarely continues below the fifteen hundred-foot level in commercial quantity.

Copper veins, themselves, are not only of vast depth, but they frequently, as is the case in Goldfield, are transformed from precious ledges. In course of time Goldfield ores will all be smelting, provided the ledges are found to continue to any depth below the shale.

Copper is one of the most widely diffused metals in Nevada. There is not a county in the state that does not contain deposits of this metal and in some localities the bodies, especially when they occur in porphyry beds, are so extensive that operations may be carried on on a gigantic scale. It is pleasing to note that the world's reserves of copper have become exhausted and that prices have rebounded to the old level, which made copper mining so profitable. There is activity now in many copper camps in Nevada and the indications are that this state will shortly lead the union in the production of the red metal.

ESTABLISH A SOUTH NEVADA CONGRESS

LET one of the features of the forthcoming celebration of Independence Day in Tonopah be the holding of a South Nevada Congress, similar in idea to that of the Pan-American assembly at Washington. An irregular line, generally following the 39th parallel, is the boundary between the group of five counties, Nye, Mineral, Esmeralda, Lincoln and Clark, comprising southern Nevada, and the balance of the state. This group contains more than one-third the area of Nevada. Its industries are alike, its interests identical. Its people are all pretty much acquainted with each other, even as are those north of the parallel mentioned, but the north and south do not have much in common.

It would be well at this time, when people will be gathered from the five counties, to hold an informal congress, which could be developed into a permanent organization. It would serve political ends. It would ensure recognition of the south, not so much in having nominees chosen from South Nevada, as to have more interest taken in our affairs by the state government. Arrangements could be made for an inter-county publicity bureau possibly. There could be trade alliances formed and mutual benefit could be made to result from many sources. Let the newspapers of the south take up the idea and it will be found that it will work out all right. Of course, the delegates to this congress could not come with full credentials. The time is too brief for that, but let there be a foregathering at the time of the celebration and plans worked out for the forming of a permanent organization.

The "seat of uneasy neutrality" in Europe will soon be without an occupant.

The Effect of the European War on Drug Prices

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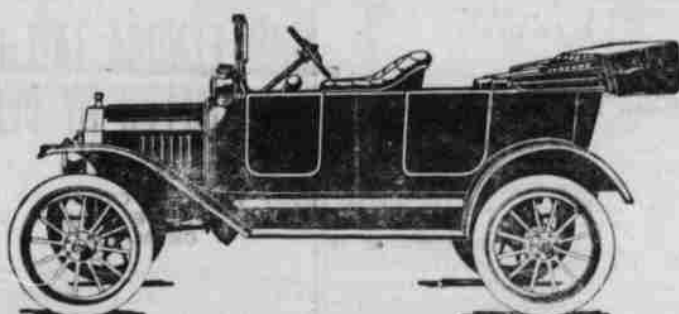
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